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- 1. WE WISH TO NOMINATE WALERY PISAREK, THE DIRECTOR OF THE POLISH PRESS RESEARCH CENTER IN KRAKOW, FOR THIS PROJECT.
 FOUNDED IN 1956, THE KRAKOW PRESS RESEARCH CENTER IS UNIQUE IN POLAND AND POSSIBLY IN EASTERN EUROPE. THE CENTER ADVISES SENIOR EDITORIAL PERSONNEL AND POLISH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, PREPARES RESEARCH AND MAINTAINS EXTENSIVE LIAISON WITH PRESS AND ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS, ESPECIALLY IN EASTERN EUROPE.
- 2. THE CENTER INCLUDES UNITS CONDUCTING RESEARCH ON THE ROLE OF THE COMMUNICATOR, PRESS CONTENT, AND POPULAR REACTION TO THE MEDIA.
- 3. PISAREK PLAYED A LEADING ROLE IN MODERNIZING THE CENTER SEVERAL YEARS AGO, AND IN REORIENTING IT AROUND CONTEMPORARY CONCEPTS OF MEDIA ANALYSIS. HE SPEAKS ENGLISH AT THE LEVEL SUGGESTED IN THE REFTEL. WE THINK PISAREK IS AN UNUSUALLY STRONG CANDIDATE FOR THIS PROGRAM.
- 4. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP CONCERNING PISAREK'S APPROVAL. BIO-DATA UNCLASSIFIED

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